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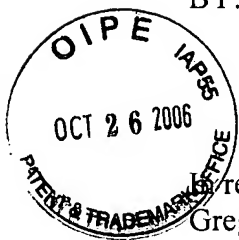
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re Patent Application of:  
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Appln. No.: 10/642,873

: Examiner: Duc Truong

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Title: MELAMINE RING-CONTAINING CO-POLYMERS; METHODS OF MAKING AND USING THE SAME

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision dated July 21, 2006, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-30.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time with extension fee for \_\_\_\_\_ month(s) to \_\_\_\_\_ to respond to the final rejection was filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for \_\_\_\_\_ month(s) to file the Notice of Appeal and the requisite extension fee in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ are enclosed.

☒ Notice of Appeal fee is enclosed (if applicable)

☒ \$250.00 - Small Entity has been previously established in this case.

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☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal).

☐ An oral hearing before the Board of Appeals is respectfully requested. Requisite fee is enclosed.

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☐ \$1,000.00.

☒ Our firm's check in the amount of \$250.00 is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit Deposit Account No. 50-3541 (Billing No. P0457.0006) for any overpayments or deficiencies in the above-

calculated fee. A duplicate copy of this notice is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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